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THURSDAY, JAN. 14, 1909.

His majesty Teddy Roosevelt is getting some warm lemons handed him.

For the first time in forty years Missouri now has a Republican governor.

The people must keep on fighting for their rights and against further encroachment by the great trusts.

Somehow we don't hear our Republican friends speaking very loud about that tariff revision they promised before the election.

Some men who have sustained a forty per cent cut in wages since November 3 are sitting up nights now trying to figure out where their share of the Taft prosperity comes in. Johnstown Democrat.

Some day, perhaps the people of the west, who feed the world, and the people of the south, who clothe the world, will see the folly of allowing a handful of men in the east to rule them and exploit them for their own selfish benefit. The Commoner.

Teddy has organized quite an Ananias club. Now if he can only assess and collect from each one of the club some \$3 or \$4 for the benefit of the national treasury he will have enough money to fill the gap caused by the \$150,000,000 deficit which will be in the national treasury by that time.

Deficit Worries G. O. P.

Editor E. Smith in Pierce City Leader: The \$143,000,000 deficit in the revenues of the national government which the Republican party now faces must be met in some way and it is troubling the Republican majority more than any other thing. With the continual falling behind in revenue every month as compared with expenditures, the proposition has now assumed a ticklish aspect, so much so in fact, that it has been found necessary to devise some measure that will prevent the government getting more deeply into debt and in some way make up the deficit. It has been given out from Washington on high authority that the Republican leaders have under consideration a return to the Spanish war taxes on beer and commercial paper and the placing of a tariff of three cents a pound on coffee in an effort to make expenditures and receipts balance.

Legislature.

The Missouri legislature was called to order Wednesday of last week.

Geo. W. Humphrey, of Shelbyville, was elected President pro tem of the Senate.

The Republicans elected Speer of Osage County Speaker of the House.

A Committee was appointed on the Lieutenant Governorship contest.

Monday all the State officers except Lieutenant Governor were sworn in.

But little can be done until the Lieutenant Governor contest is settled.

Interesting News Concerning the Different Denominations.

This Column Closes Promptly at 9 a. m. Each Wednesday.

In the absence of Rev Crowe who is assisting in a meeting at Shelbyville, Rev. J. N. Boyd of Shelbyville, will occupy the pulpit at the Methodist church morning and evening.

Elder W. L. Garrison of Canton, preached for the Christians at Warren, Sunday.

METHODIST

9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
10:45 a. m. preaching.
2:30 p. m. Junior League.
6:00 p. m. Senior League (or one hour before preaching.)

7:00 p. m. Preaching (to change with season.)

W. F. M. Society, first Friday each month.

Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN

Preaching Sunday 11 a. m. by the Pastor.

The Praise service announced for last Sunday was postponed on account of the extreme cold, will be held next Sunday 7 p. m. Public cordially invited.

Bible class will meet Monday at 7 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at Maddox Hotel at 2:30 Friday afternoon.

CHRISTIAN

The usual services at the Christian church next Lord's day morning and evening. Come and worship with us.

New Music.

Clare Kummer, the composer of "Cheating" and "The Road to Yesterday," has given the public a new waltz, "The Garden of Dreams."

"A vision of Salome," is a descriptive fantasia by J. Bodewalt Lampe. Salome appears before King Herod and dances at his request. The King promises to grant her a wish. She asks for the head of John the Baptist. It is brought to her. Her fear and repentance.

Another waltz, "The Love Tree," by Charlotte Blauke, will be welcomed by those who have enjoyed "My Lady Laughter," "Dainty Dances," and "Last Kiss Waltzes."

The above are published by Jerome H. Remick & Co., Detroit, and New York.

Lost

Black western mare 12 to 15 years old, branded on one hip. Got away Friday night. Write Mrs. T. Courtney, Warren, Mo.

Mrs. John Dill, of Omaha, Neb., has written Roosevelt stating that she is the mother of 25 children, that the husband and father is unable to get work and that they need help.

Rev. J. M. O'Brien began a protracted meeting at Ely Tuesday evening. It is expected that the meeting will continue for two weeks.

John J. Rogers returned yesterday from a pleasant visit with relatives at Minneapolis, Minn.

A fine boy has been presented D. Milton Proctor, Kansas City, by his wife, Mrs. Daisy Whitecotton Proctor.

Miss Myrtle Waters, of Woodland is the guest of her friend, Miss Nellie Griffith.

Mrs. J. T. Elliott went to Clarence Monday to visit relatives.

J. S. Conway was a business visitor in Brookfield, Monday.

J. E. Spiker was the guest of his son, Roy and wife at Ely, Friday.

The Democrat for Job Printing

Rolling Along.

Don't you come a-whinin' an' a-pin-in' 'bout de way
Dat de days keeps a-rollin' along;
Dar wouldn't be no sense in hangin' roun' de same ol' day
An' a-singin' de same ol' song.

De snow has got to fade away to bring along de spring;

De trees mus' shade deir branches so's de birds kin come an' sing,
An' de blossoms got to drap f'um whah de fruit is g'uiner to swing
As de days keeps a-rollin' along.

De little boy is weepin' c'ase, he went an' stubbed his toe,

But de days keeps a-rollin' along; But he's clean forgot his botheration in an hour or so,

An' is laughin' so sweet an' strong; An' as he keeps a-growin' he is gwine foh to meet

Among de flowers dat please his eye de stones dat bruise his feet. Fohgit about de bitter, chile, an' think about de sweet

As de days keeps a-rollin' along. Washington Star.

Eastern Star.

Saturday evening the following officers of Monroe Chapter No. 48, O. E. S., were installed:

Mrs. Nellie B. Wade, W. M.
W. L. Ely, W. P.
Mrs. Anna M. Wood, A. M.
W. J. Rouse, Secy.
Mrs. Cora Umstadd, C.
Mrs. Louise Melson, A. C.
Mrs. Annetta I. Ely, Chaplain.
Mrs. Lena Umstadd, Marshal.
Miss Adah V. McClintic, Adah.
Mrs. Minnie Yowell, Esther.
Other officers were absent.

Birthday.

Mrs. Jefferson Taylor of Ely, had a birthday and a surprise yesterday. Her husband, Jeff, came to the city and bought a lovely range for her. But there was a wee bit of selfishness in it, for Jeff remarked to us: "I do love hot biscuits."

For Sale King heater stove. Apply at this office.

J. V. Proctor received a pretty Pitt Brindle bull pup from Kansas City yesterday. He intended to make a present of it to a particular friend.

For Sale Scotch Collie, pup 1 year old. Good color and good marking.—J. D. Brandmeyer.

E. F. Soetly of Brookfield has been with Monroe friends.

Free sample of Chestola at Moss' Try it for colds. —1-14.

Mrs. Isadore Hagar has been with relatives at Woodland.

Mrs. Fannie Fields left Tuesday for Monmouth, Ill., to visit her son, Thomas and family.

Mrs. William Berlin left Tuesday for Burlington, Iowa, to visit relatives and former friends.

The ice harvest began in this city Tuesday. The ice was six inches thick.

Have Joe at Streen's shine your shoes.

Robert S. McClintic has been elected to the responsible position of Secretary of the Senate. The Senate could not have found a man who would better fill the position.

Mose Leake and Charlie Pierceall while in St. Louis the first of the week purchased a ten horse power Olds auto, which will arrive in a few days.

Mrs. Sallie Young has put up a pig to fatten. She says: "Now that Jim Davis is gone she thinks she will have enough butter milk to fatten it on."

N. B. Smallwood and Clay Underhill are prospecting around Fayette, Mo.

James M. Proctor Sr., took in the City of Flowers, Thursday.

W. J. Jackson, of Woodland was with relatives in this city Friday.

Great Bargain Sale!

After invoicing we find a great many BARGAINS in store for you commencing

January 16, 1909.

A big lot of all kinds of Remnants and Short lengths at Special prices.

Laces and Embroideries at Special Prices.
Men's High-Grade four buckle Overshoes

\$2.00 Pair.

Blankets at a big reduction, also a Special on Turkish Towels

39c Pair.

See our line of 10c Enameled Ware.
Homegrown walnuts at

50c Bushel.

Apricots at 10c per pound.
Remember we have the best line of

10c and 15c

Coffee in town (Pilgrim and Monarch.)

Yours for business,

Yates & Shearman.

WE NEED YOU!

Every Business Needs Customers
And You Need Us.

Is our Greeting to Farmers
and Their Wives.

Because we will pay you the Highest Market Prices
for what you have to sell. And in return will gladly
sell to you the

Best Fancy and Staple

GROCERIES

that money will buy and will sell them to you at
BOTTOM PRICES. Do not fail to bring us your Poultry
and Eggs, and remember WE NEED and YOU
NEED and that we need each other.

Anderson & Montgomery

Charles Pierceall and Mose Leake have been with friends in the Future Great.

Emmett Robey spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Hunnewell.

Mesdames Mark C. Hawkins and Orinda Hawkins have been spending several days with friends at Riverside, Ill.

W. B. Spalding was a business visitor in Quincy, Thursday.